

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	Group Art Unit: 1618
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<i>UBER et al.</i>)	Confirmation No.: 4883
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Serial No.: 10/798,876)	Docket No.: IN/02-002.PCT.US.C
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For: APPARATUS, SYSTEM AND METHOD)	
FOR GENERATING BUBBLES)	
ON DEMAND)	Date: 09 MARCH 2009

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Dear Sir/Madam:

Applicants acknowledge receipt of a Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated March 5, 2009.

Applicants herein resubmit claim amendments with the text of all pending claims, including withdrawn claims 42-139.

Claims 1-41 and 140-143 is rejected under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) as being unpatentable over U.S. Patent 6,468,506 to *Rössling et al.* in view of U.S. Patent 5,885,216 to *Evans, III et al.* and further in view of U.S. Patent 6,231,513 to *Daum et al.* or International Publication WO96/40282 to *Quay et al.*

Before the entry of this *Amendment And Response*, the present application contained forty five (45) claims, not including ninety eight (98) that were previously withdrawn. Upon entry of this *Amendment And Response*, the present application will contain forty three (43) active claims. Specifically, herein, claims 5 and 142 are canceled, claims 1, 3, 4, 6, 140, 141 and 143 are amended, and claims 2 and 7-41 remain unchanged. Counting the claims that were previously withdrawn, the application will now contain one hundred forty (141) claims.

As required by 37 C.F.R. §1.173(c), the changes made herein to the claims have support in the disclosure of the application. Consequently, no new matter has been added to the application by this *Amendment And Response*. In view of the amendments and arguments below, Applicants believe that the claims set forth below are patentable over the prior art of record.